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Database Name	Vendor / Platform	COUNTER-compliant?	Sessions	Searches	Turnaways	Successful full-text article requests	2012/13 Price	Cost per Search
AAS Historical Periodicals Collection Series 1 1691-1820	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,241	8,488	N/A	N/A	\$576.00	\$0.07
AAS Historical Periodicals Collection Series 2 1821-1837	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,138	8,483	N/A	N/A	\$576.00	\$0.07
AAS Historical Periodicals Collection Series 3 1838-1852	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,152	8,485	N/A	N/A	\$576.00	\$0.07
AAS Historical Periodicals Collection Series 4 1853-1865	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,129	8,447	N/A	N/A	\$576.00	\$0.07
AAS Historical Periodicals Collection Series 5 1866-1877	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,134	8,452	N/A	N/A	\$576.00	\$0.07
ABI/INFORM Dateline	ProQuest	Yes	6,408	12,015	N/A	N/A	\$6,900.00	\$0.57
ABI/INFORM Global	ProQuest	Yes	7,871	16,807	N/A	N/A	\$6,900.00	\$0.41
ABI/INFORM Trade & Industry	ProQuest	Yes	6,417	12,041	N/A	N/A	\$6,900.00	\$0.57
Academic Search Complete (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	66,233	182,841	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Academic Search Premier	EBSCOhost	Yes	971	191	N/A	N/A	\$23,343.00	\$122.21
AccessPharmacy	McGrawHill		47,731	14,716	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00
Accounting Research Manager	CCH		0	0	0	0	\$4,437.80	N/A
African American Newspapers	Newsbank (Readex)	Yes (R2)	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ALA Guide to Reference	ALA Editions	No	4	896	N/A	N/A	\$1,238.00	\$309.50
America History & Life	EBSCOhost	Yes	3,453	12,463	N/A	N/A	\$8,780.00	\$0.70
American State Papers, 1789-1838	Newsbank	Yes (R2)	N/A	13	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ARBA Online	Greenwood Press	Yes (R2)	186	386	0	N/A	\$209.00	\$0.54
Art Abstracts	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,606	9,921	N/A	N/A	\$6,945.00	\$0.70
Art Index Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,069	7,679	N/A	N/A	\$581.00	\$0.17
ArticleFirst*	OCLC	Yes	1,226	1,786	38	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
ARTstor	ArtSTOR	No	2,097	30,600	N/A	N/A	\$14,115.00	\$0.46
ASFA 1 (Biosciences...)	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	6,178	14,050	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ASFA 2 (Ocean Technology...)	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,724	13,502	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ASFA 3 (Aquatic Pollution...)	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,985	13,699	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ASFA Aquaculture Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	6,078	13,974	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ASFA Marine Biotechnology Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,943	13,555	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ASFA: Aquatic Science & Fisheries Abstracts (all)	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$8,860.00	N/A
AtoZ databases (AskRI Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Auto Repair Reference Center (AskRI Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	33	59	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Baptisteria Sacra Index	ITER		0	0	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A

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Biography Collection Complete (AskRI Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,203	7,478	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Biography Index Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,235	7,347	N/A	N/A	\$354.00	\$0.05
Biography Reference Bank	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,502	7,503	N/A	N/A	\$4,745.00	\$0.63
Biological & Agricultural Index Plus	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	3,366	8,206	N/A	N/A	\$3,213.00	\$0.39
BIOSIS Previews	Web of Science	Yes	463	1,931	N/A	N/A	\$35,202.00	\$18.23
Book Review Digest Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	1,964	7,404	N/A	N/A	\$581.00	\$0.08
Chicago Manual of Style	Chicago	No	N/A	2,290	N/A	N/A	\$960.00	\$0.42
CINAHL	EBSCOhost	Yes	35,610	36,198	N/A	N/A	\$6,540.00	\$0.18
Clase and Periodica*	OCLC	Yes	101	80	19	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Cochrane Library	Wiley InterScience	No	0	2,102	N/A	N/A	\$3,833.16	\$1.82
ComDisDome	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,516	12,461	N/A	N/A	\$2,930.00	\$0.24
Communication Abstracts	EBSCOhost	Yes (R3)	3,469	12,453	N/A	N/A	\$3,272.00	\$0.26
Compendex (EI)	EI	Yes	1,483	8,781	N/A	N/A	\$19,630.00	\$2.24
CQ Researcher*	CQ	Yes	1,584	1,664	0	2798	\$1,961.00	\$1.18
Criminal Justice Abstracts Full Text	EBSCOhost	Yes (R3)	3,370	8,852	N/A	N/A	\$5,242.00	\$0.59
CrossSearch	Web of Science	Yes	13,023	4,801	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses	ProQuest	Yes	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$6,440.00	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I Business	ProQuest	Yes	5,445	12,714	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I Health and Medicine	ProQuest	Yes	5,432	12,706	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I History	ProQuest	Yes	5,402	12,643	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I Literature and Language	ProQuest	Yes	5,416	12,669	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I Science and Technology	ProQuest	Yes	5,411	12,639	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I Social Sciences	ProQuest	Yes	5,450	12,806	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses: A&I The Arts	ProQuest	Yes	5,401	12,623	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Dissertations & Theses @ University of Rhode Island	ProQuest	Yes	5,074	11,387	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EBSCOhost Research databases (all)	EBSCOhost	Yes	127,977	902,826	N/A	177,474	\$130,665.00	\$0.14
Ecology Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
EconLit	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,817	10,456	N/A	N/A	\$2,824.00	\$0.27
Education Full Text	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	8,218	23,220	N/A	N/A	\$6,594.00	\$0.28
Education Index Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,051	8,044	N/A	N/A	\$798.00	\$0.10
EEBO	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
EIS: Environmental Impact Statements: Digests	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	4,744	10,656	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
EMBASE.COM	EMBAS	No	0	0	0	N/A	\$12,710.00	N/A
Encyclopedia of Ocean Sciences	Elsevier	No	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Encyclopedia of Ocean Sciences, 2nd ed.	Elsevier	No	N/A	67	0	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00

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EndNote Web	Web of Science	No	142	138	0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Environment Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,105	11,295	N/A	N/A	\$4,084.00	\$0.36
ERIC	EBSCOhost	Yes	3,531	14,288	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
ERIC*	OCLC	Yes	556	911	20	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
ERIC	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,128	11,709	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Europa	Europa		19	13	N/A	N/A	\$2,092.50	\$160.96
Film & Television Literature Index	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,309	8,553	N/A	N/A	\$1,504.00	\$0.18
FirstSearch ("per-search" block searches)	OCLC	Yes	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
FirstSearch (all databases)	OCLC	Yes	7,027	13,409	528	N/A	\$9,468.00	\$0.71
FSTA Food Science & Technology Abstracts*	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,415	6,985	455	N/A	\$9,050.00	\$1.30
Funk & Wagnall's New World Encyclopedia	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,259	8,300	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Gale Directory Library (GDL)	Gale	Yes	494	700	N/A	474	\$3,519.90	\$5.03
Gale Virtual Reference Library (GVRL)	Gale	Yes	30	54	N/A	28	\$100.00	\$1.85
Gender Watch	ProQuest	Yes	5,184	11,888	N/A	N/A	\$1,245.00	\$0.10
GeoRef	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	4,902	10,967	N/A	N/A	\$6,810.00	\$0.62
GeoRef in Process	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	4,911	10,993	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
GPO Monthly Catalog*	OCLC	Yes	73	105	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
GreenFILE	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,467	8,573	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Oxford Art Online	Oxford	No	182	395	4	358	\$6,060.00	\$15.34
Oxford Music Online	Oxford	No	223	330	0	480	\$6,060.00	\$18.36
Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Historical Abstracts	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,590	9,816	N/A	N/A	\$8,780.00	\$0.89
History Reference Center (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,639	8,969	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Hoover's	Mergent	No	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$2,995.00	N/A
Humanities & Social Sciences Index Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,500	8,824	N/A	N/A	\$822.00	\$0.09
ICPSR	ICPSR (Univ. Mich.)	No	N/A	706	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
INSPEC Current	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,240	7,972	N/A	N/A	\$36,588.00	\$4.59
International Pharmaceutical Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,027	12,045	N/A	N/A	\$3,940.00	\$0.33
ITER Bibliography	ITER		0	0	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Journals@Ovid Full Text	Ovid	Yes (R3)	5,295	5,295	N/A	N/A	\$18,231.00	\$3.44
JSTOR Databases	JSTOR	Yes	53,514	63,341	N/A	N/A	\$87,921.80	\$1.39
KCDL Online	KCDL Online	No	N/A	63	0	N/A	\$1,850.00	\$29.37
Lexi-Comp Online	Lexi-Comp	No	7,776	26,124	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
LexisNexis Academic	LexisNexis	Yes (R3)	6,205	12,182	N/A	N/A	\$26,573.00	\$2.18
Library, Info Sci & Tech Abstracts (NO full text)	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,291	9,434	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A

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Library, Info Sci & Tech Abstracts w/ full text	EBSCOhost	Yes	5,368	18,219	N/A	N/A	\$2,964.00	\$0.16
Library Literature & Information Science Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,180	8,441	N/A	N/A	\$581.00	\$0.07
Literary Reference Center (AskRI - Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	3,108	9,236	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Literature Resource Center	Gale/InfoTrac	Yes	1,371	4,512	0	N/A	\$2,365.00	\$0.52
Los Angeles Times	ProQuest	Yes	4,729	10,640	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MAS Ultra – School edition	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,287	8,060	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MasterFILE Premier (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	3,918	9,348	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MathSciNet	American Mathematical Society	No	800	14,065	0	N/A	\$8,543.70	\$0.61
MEDLINE (free)	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,302	9,109	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MEDLINE*	OCLC	Yes	3,346	5,335	364	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MEDLINE (free)	OVID	Yes (R3)	5	0	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Mental Measurements Yearbook* - w/Tests in Print	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,648	9,619	N/A	N/A	\$1,732.00	\$0.18
Mergent Online	Mergent	No	316	1,370	0	N/A	\$17,308.34	\$12.63
Mergent WebReports	Mergent	No	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$1,000.00	N/A
Meteorological & Geostrophysical Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	4,739	10,647	N/A	N/A	\$4,700.00	\$0.44
Middle Search Plus (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,141	7,888	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Military & Government Collection	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,445	8,412	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MLA Directory of Periodicals	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	252	428	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
MLA International Bibliography	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	6,992	15,544	N/A	N/A	\$8,070.00	\$0.52
Music Index	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,421	9,310	N/A	N/A	\$2,540.00	\$0.27
National Archive	EBSCOhost	Yes	277	829	N/A	N/A	\$992.00	\$1.20
National Review Archive	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,225	8,429	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00
netLibrary	EBSCOhost	No	0	N/A	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
New Republic Archive	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,328	8,428	N/A	N/A	\$1,732.00	\$0.18
Newsbank (all databases)	Newsbank	Yes (R2)	702	1,513	0	N/A	\$2,250.00	\$1.49
NoveList (AskRI - Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	73	163	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
OAlster*	OCLC	Yes	191	1	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Oceanic Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	6,073	13,831	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
OCLC Electronic Books*	OCLC	Yes	250	74	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
OCLC Electronic Collections Online*	OCLC	Yes	423	295	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
OCLC QuickStart	OCLC	Yes	0	0	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Ovid (Total databases)	Ovid	Yes (R3)	5,088	5,494	0	N/A	\$18,231.00	\$3.32
Oxford English Dictionary	Oxford	No	2,275	5,543	0	4476	\$3,776.22	\$0.68

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Oxford History of Western Music	Oxford	No	45	129	0	58	\$0.00	N/A
PAIS Archive	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,305	12,960	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
PAIS International	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,305	12,960	N/A	N/A	\$6,490.00	\$0.50
PapersFirst*	OCLC	Yes	35	29	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Philosopher's Index	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,073	11,445	N/A	N/A	\$2,980.00	\$0.26
Physical Education Index	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,351	12,261	N/A	N/A	\$1,140.00	\$0.09
PILOTS	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	4,867	11,070	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Points of View Reference Center (AskRI - Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	839	1,068	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Primary Search	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,224	8,481	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
ProceedingsFirst*	OCLC	Yes	17	11	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Proquest Congressional	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	8	1	N/A	N/A	\$7,255.00	\$7,255.00
ProQuest National Newspapers Core	ProQuest	Yes	5,687	12,912	N/A	N/A	\$3,620.00	\$0.28
Providence Journal-Bulletin	ProQuest	Yes	5,268	12,102	N/A	N/A	\$2,080.00	\$0.17
PsycARTICLES	EBSCOhost	Yes (R3)	12,758	29,279	N/A	N/A	\$14,959.38	\$0.51
PsycINFO	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	149	574	N/A	N/A	\$16,459.00	\$28.67
Readers Guide Retrospective*	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	2,404	9,171	N/A	N/A	\$326.00	\$0.04
RefWorks	CSA	No	2,287	12,284	0	N/A	\$15,030.00	\$1.22
Regional Business News (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	0	0	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
RMA eStatement Studies	RMA	No	609	285	N/A	N/A	\$4,200.00	\$14.74
Safari Books Online	ProQuest	Yes	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$4,780.00	N/A
SciFinder Scholar*	CAS	No	N/A	5,035	3	N/A	\$35,250.00	\$7.00
Searchasaurus (AskRI - Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	55	51	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Serial Set Maps	Newsbank	Yes (R2)	N/A	2	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Short Story Index Retrospective *	EBSCOhost	Yes (R2)	1,959	7,424	N/A	N/A	\$243.00	\$0.03
Social Services Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,134	11,719	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Sociological Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	5,698	13,089	N/A	N/A	\$4,910.00	\$0.38
StatRef	ARISL	No	38	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$854.29	\$22.48
Student Research Center (AskRI - Statewide Database)	EBSCOhost	Yes	629	51	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	\$0.00
Sustainability Science Abstracts	ProQuest	Yes (R3)	4,785	10,732	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Teacher Reference Center	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,230	8,390	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Textile Technology Index	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,272	8,488	N/A	N/A	\$3,130.00	\$0.37
TOPICsearch (statewide database trial)	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,521	9,320	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
U.S. Congressional Serial Set	Newsbank	Yes (R2)	N/A	91	0	N/A	\$2,250.00	\$24.73
ValueLine Research Center	ValueLine		804	7,989	N/A	3565	\$4,995.00	\$0.63

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Wall Street Journal	ProQuest	Yes	230	832	N/A	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
Web of Knowledge	Web of Science	Yes	18,506	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Web of Science	Web of Science	Yes	14,225	48,751	N/A	N/A	\$125,494.00	\$2.57
Women's Studies International	EBSCOhost	Yes	2,438	8,931	N/A	N/A	\$3,226.00	\$0.36
World Almanacs*	OCLC	Yes	102	156	2	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
WorldCat*	OCLC	Yes	2,102	8,995	8995	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
WorldCat Dissertations & Theses*	OCLC	Yes	223	45	0	N/A	\$0.00	N/A
YourJournals@Ovid	Ovid	Yes (R3)	189	196	0	N/A	N/A	N/A